

KENTUCKY DOWNS - August 30, 2026 - Race 9

STAKES Tapit S. Listed - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A SWEEPSTAKES IN 2026.

Distance: One And One Sixteenth Miles On The Turf **Current Track Record:** (Plensa - 1:41.71 - August 30, 2026)

Purse: \$500,000 Added

Includes: \$250,000 KTDF - Kentucky TB Devt Fund

Available Money: \$500,000

Value of Race: \$492,500 1st \$291,050, 2nd \$95,500, 3rd \$47,750, 4th \$23,875, 5th \$6,825, 6th \$4,600, 7th \$4,600, 8th \$4,575, 9th \$4,575, 10th \$4,575, 11th \$4,575

Weather: Clear, 94° Track: Firm

Off at: 5:32 Start: Good for all except 14 Timing Method: Electronic

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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
11Jul26 ⁷ SAR ⁵	14	Plensa (Concepcion, Axel)	124 - -	11	11	10 ² 1/2	10 ² 1/2	9 ²	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}	12.12	lungd, 2-4w, circld, held
2Aug26 ¹⁰ ELP ⁴	13	Vote No (Rispoli, Umberto) 	124 - -	10	10	11	11	10 ¹ 1/2	3 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 3/4	8.40	ins, circld, even terms
11Jul26 ¹⁰ IND ⁶	4	Clever Mischief (Gaffalione, Tyler)	122 - -	3	1	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	6.60	duel 3w, flatnd, held 3d
5Jul26 ⁶ CNL ⁴	7	Hiding in Honduras (Torres, Jaime)	126 - -	6	7	7 ^{1/2}	8 ² 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	4 ²	4 ^{Head}	10.91	3-4w, ang 5w, need more
2Aug26 ⁶ GP ³	1	I Know I Know (Asmussen, Keith)	122 b	1	8	9 ¹	9 ¹	11	8 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	71.22	ins, swng out, late kick
11Jul26 ¹⁰ IND ²	5	Baby Max (Beschizza, Adam)	122 - -	4	3	6 ^{1/2}	7 ^{Head}	7 ^{1/2}	9 ^{1/2}	6 ¹	7.51	btwn, tipd out, mildly
19Jun26 ⁶ CD ⁴	10	West Hollywood (Carrasco, Victor)	122 - -	8	6	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	7 ² 1/2	21.59	btwn 2-3w, wknd
2Aug26 ¹⁰ ELP ⁷	6	Lambeth (Ortiz, Jose)	122 b	5	4	8 ¹	6 ^{Head}	8 ^{Head}	10 ¹	8 ^{Neck}	2.26*	ins, tipd out, no rally
31Jul26 GOO ⁴	3	Ancient Rome (Curtis, Ben)	122 - -	2	5	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Head}	6 ¹	9 ³ 3/4	10.08	track ins, gave way
12Jun26 ⁶ CD ¹	9	Smokey Mandate (Prat, Flavien)	122 f	7	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	7 ^{Head}	10 ² 1/4	5.67	pce 2w-ins, duel, faded
2Aug26 ¹⁰ ELP ¹⁰	12	Flying Mohawk (Saez, Luis)	122 b	9	9	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	6 ^{1/2}	11	11	10.81	track 4p, faded

Fractional Times: 23.75 46.63 1:10.42 1:34.12 Final Time: 1:41.71 (New Track Record) Time from Gate: 1:41.82

Split Times: (22:88) (23:79) (23:70) (7:59)

Run-Up: 3 feet Temporary Rail: 50 feet

Winner: Plensa, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Caravaggio out of Proximity Bias, by Flatter. Foaled Mar 14, 2022 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Frank Garrison & NATO et al

Owner: Mill Ridge Farm and Garrison, Frank

Trainer: Arnold II, George

Scratched Horse(s): Abrumar (RegVet-Unsound), Mercante (Stakes Scratch), Native Runner (Stakes Scratch)

Total WPS Pool: \$451,809

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
14	Plensa	26.24	10.30	8.54	\$0.50 Pick 3	1-3-14 (3 correct)	109.41	72,744
13	Vote No		8.86	6.52	\$1.00 Daily Double	3-14	73.53	39,984
4	Clever Mischief			5.76	\$1.00 Exacta	14-13	101.37	289,067
					\$0.10 Superfecta	14-13-4-7	619.51	89,120
					\$0.50 Trifecta	14-13-4	335.92	144,417

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
14	Plensa	11	10 ⁵ 1/2	10 ⁶ 1/2	9 ³ 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ^{1/2}
13	Vote No	10	11 ⁸	11 ⁹	10 ⁵ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	2 ^{1/2}
4	Clever Mischief	1	3 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	3 ² 1/4
7	Hiding in Honduras	7	7 ³	8 ³	4 ¹ 3/4	4 ¹ 3/4	4 ² 1/2
1	I Know I Know	8	9 ⁴ 1/2	9 ⁵ 1/2	11 ⁶	8 ⁵	5 ² 1/2
5	Baby Max	3	6 ² 1/2	7 ² 3/4	7 ² 3/4	9 ⁵	6 ³
10	West Hollywood	6	4 ¹ 1/2	5 ¹ 3/4	5 ² 1/4	5 ³ 3/4	7 ⁴
6	Lambeth	4	8 ³ 1/2	6 ² 3/4	8 ³ 1/4	10 ⁵ 1/2	8 ⁶ 1/2
3	Ancient Rome	5	2 ^{1/2}	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ¹ 1/2	6 ³ 3/4	9 ⁶ 3/4
9	Smokey Mandate	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	7 ⁴ 3/4	10 ¹⁰ 1/2
12	Flying Mohawk	9	5 ²	4 ¹ 1/2	6 ² 1/4	11 ⁶ 1/2	11 ¹² 3/4

Trainers: 14 - Arnold II, George; 13 - Danner, Kelsey; 4 - Walsh, Brendan; 7 - Thomas, Jonathan; 1 - Biancone, Patrick; 5 - Danner, Kelsey; 10 - Green, Amelia; 6 - Sharp, Joe; 3 - Hills, Charlie; 9 - Maker, Michael; 12 - Beckman, D. Whitworth

Owners: 14 - Mill Ridge Farm and Garrison, Frank; 13 - Crown's Way Racing, LLC, NBS Stable, Marko, Kevin and Diamant, Eli; 4 - Team Adams Racing LLC; 7 - Robert V. LaPenta; 1 - Patrick L. Biancone Racing LLC and Dunne, Amy E.; 5 - J S Stables LLC; 10 - EGL-One Racing; 6 - Carl R. Moore Management, LLC; 3 - Mrs. Fitriani Hay; 9 - Freddy Lewis, Jr.; 12 - Two Eight Racing, Berry Family Racing LLC and Kaleta Racing;

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PLENSA lunged at the start of the race and brushed with the gate then raced at the back of the field in the two path then made up some lost ground while coming out four wide and entering the upper tipped out around the field and circled while making a rally then drove past it's rivals and held to the wire. VOTE NO was void of any early speed and settled at the very back along the inside then followed PLENSA in their bid circling the field then surged up to the outside half a length short of the winner and finished on even terms. CLEVER MISCHIEF settled early then pressed the pace at the top of the hill from the three path then duelled for leadership and took command in the straight away but flattened out heading towards the wire while holding on to the show award. HIDING IN HONDURAS raced towards the back of the pack in the third flight positioned in the three to four path then angled out coming towards the bottom of the hill and came under coaxing while drifting to the inside but just needed more. I KNOW I KNOW settled off the pace a couple lengths behind the pack along the inside and was reserved until the upper and swung out wide off the bend nearing the final furlong and showed some kick but was too late. BABY MAX settled into the pack in the two path on the third flight and tipped out a bit coming into the upper and looked for an opening and found one late in the stretch then mildly improved. WEST HOLLYWOOD raced behind the pace in the second flight between rivals from the two to three path and kept on but weakened in the deep stretch. LAMBETH settled in the third flight along the inside and tipped out slightly coming into the stretch but never rallied. ANCIENT ROME was forward early and tracked the pace from the inside and kept on til the upper but gave way in the stretch. SMOKEY MANDATE set a clear early pace from the two path to inside then was pressured at the top of the hill before dueling with CLEVER MISCHIEF then conceded and faded turning towards home. FLYING MOHAWK tracked the pace from second flight in the four path then started to weaken in the upper and faded out.

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